

1 AN ACT relating to school curriculum requirements.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 158 IS CREATED TO  
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 (1) For purposes of this section:

6 (a) "Council" means the school-based decision making council; and

7 (b) "Middle school" means a school that includes grade six (6), grade seven  
8 (7), or grade eight (8).

9 (2) Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, each elementary school council shall  
10 include in its third grade curriculum the memorization of multiplication tables.

11 (3) Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, each middle school council shall  
12 include in its curriculum:

13 (a) A mandatory Kentucky history course covering the year 1750 through the  
14 present day in grade six (6);

15 (b) A mandatory United States history course covering the years 1492 through  
16 1865 and including instruction on the Bill of Rights and the Constitution in  
17 grade seven (7); and

18 (c) A mandatory United States history course covering the year 1866 through  
19 the present day in grade eight (8).